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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Scherf et al.
Appl. No. : 10/087,013
Filed : February 21, 2002
For : IDENTIFICATION OF THE DOMAIN
OF PLASMODIUM FALCIPARUM
ERYTHROCYTE MEMBRANE
PROTEIN 1 (PFEMP1) THAT
MEDIATES ADHESION TO
CHONDROITIN SULFATE A
Examiner : Lucas, Zachariah
Group Art Unit : 1648

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 1, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 4 of this paper. Each sheet of drawings being amended can be found in the attached Formal Drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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